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SUBJECT: VISAS VIPER FOR DECEMBER 2007 REPORTING PERIOD

11. Members of the Embassy Rabat and Consulate General Casablanca joint Visas Viper Committee met January 8, 2008. The meeting was chaired by the DCM and was attended by CONS, RAO, LEGATT, DAO, PD, POL, and RSO.

12. Discussion centered on the sentencing of members of the Ansar Al Mahdi cell on January 4 by the Sale court as well as a press report in Arabic in the Al Massae newspaper about alleged Moroccan jihadists in Iraq. Legatt was tasked with developing information from the press reports to see if enough information can be developed so that new Viper submissions may be submitted.

13. No names are being submitted for the December 2007 reporting period at this time.

14. The Mission's Visas Viper Coordinator is Consular Chief Miguel Ordonez.

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